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Land Grant Application- Bradford, Peabody (Minot)

Peabody Bradford

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William Woart Dr Esq

Augusta
Maine

Charge to Box 70

Spicer

Dear Sir

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We are the goodness to communicate the result of your investigation
as soon as convenient. Peabody Bradford secured ^{mo-} 35.25. days and
Samuel Furman as we were advised by you 35. mo. & 11. days
We have made the papers out as perfect as the nature of the case
will admit. If there is a decision in favor of the applicants
please inform us what steps we must take in order to procure the
money.

Very respectfully

Yours truly
Peabody Bradford

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State of Maine

I Peabody Bradford of Minot in the County of Cumberland and State of Maine aged seventy eight years, do. upon oath declare in order to obtain the benefit of the Resolve of the Legislature of Maine passed March 24. 1836 Entitled a Resolve additional to a resolve passed March 17th 1835 entitled a Resolve in favor of certain officers and soldiers of the Revolutionary War and the widows of deceased officers and Soldiers That I enlisted "in the winter of 1777 for the term of three years in the State of Massachusetts in the Company commanded by Capt Joseph Wadsworth in the Regiment commanded by Colonel Gamaliel Bradford in the Continental Establishment. That he continued to serve under said enlistment till sometime in the month of February A.D. 1780 the term of three years for which he enlisted and was then honourably discharged at West Point in the State of New York" During this period of service he was a corporal. I do further declare that at

that at the time of my said enlistment I was an inhabitant of the Town of Duxbury in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and was on the 17 day of March 1835 have been ever since and now am an inhabitant of the State of Maine residing in Minot aforesaid where I have resided for fifty five years past. That neither I nor any one claiming under me has ever received a grant of land or money in lieu thereof from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts for my said service or any ~~other~~ other service during the Revolutionary war and that I am justly entitled to the benefit of said Resolve.

Peabody Bradford

State of Maine
Cumberland Co. Subscribed & sworn to
this 21st day of July in the year
of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred
and thirty six

Before me
Asaph Howard Justice of the Peace

I know all men by these presents. That I Peabody Bradford of Minot in the County of Cumberland and State of Maine being the same person by whom the preceding declaration was made do hereby constitute and appoint Freeman Bradford of Portland my true and lawful Attorney to receive from the Land Agent of the State of Maine such compensation as I am entitled to under the ~~act~~ of the Legislature of Maine passed March 24. 1836 entitled a Resolve additional to a resolve passed March 17. 1835 entitled a Resolve in favor of certain officers & Soldiers of the Revolutionary War and the widows of the deceased officers and Soldiers to the benefit of which Resolve I am entitled. And my said Attorney is hereby authorized and empowered upon the receipt of said Compensation or other security for its payment, for me & in my name to execute such receipt or acknowledgment therefor as I might were I personally present. Hereby ratifying and confirming what ever my said

Attorney shall do by virtue hereof
Witness my hand & seal this 21st
day of July A.D. 1836

Signed sealed &
delivered in presence
of Lewis Bradford

Peabody Bradford



State of Maine
Cumberland ss. July 21st A.D. 1836 Then personally appeared
before me the above named Peabody Bradford and acknowledged
the above power of attorney to be his free act & deed.

Asaph Howard Justice of the peace

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Declaration of Asaph Howard
Justice of the Peace
24. 1836.

Filed July 28. 1836.

Admitted to Practice

At 110. 1/2. Aug. 2. 1836

Asaph Howard
for me Aug 2. 1836

Asaph Howard
Justice of the Peace